

WOMEN'S ORGANIZATIONS.

The happiest event yet given by the Women's club was that of the "all-day session," held in honor of the club's seventeenth birthday anniversary at the home of the president, Mrs. W. R. Brown.

The first floor was converted into one large banquet hall and presented a beautiful scene, dotted with small tables glittering with cut glass, silver and various-colored china.

The central table was laden with appetizing dainties and adorned with the club colors, green and white. A large Texas flag occupied the place of honor above the table.

Before the luncheon hour an informal program was rendered. Mrs. Mayfield, of Chihuahua, sang the "Angel's Serenade," with violin accompaniment by Mrs. Roseborough. Two dialect monologues, "The Not Twine" and "Buy Nuthin' Now on their Installment Plan" and "Do Weddin'" were by Mrs. Kenneth D. Oliver. Mrs. L. L. Mundy sang a solo with piano accompaniment by Mrs. Gertrude Coffin.

After a short recess the members gathered in social groups around the tables, those having response to toasts occupying seats at the large table. Mrs. S. H. Sutherland, postmaster of club social events, was toastmistress, introducing the speakers and their subjects most happily.

Mrs. J. E. Townsend spoke of the club's infant days and childhood growth. In response to the subject, "Our First Birthday," Mrs. W. R. Brown responded to "Our Club Ideals." Mrs. A. W. Foster had the subject, "Our President," Mrs. Wm. H. F. Judd responded to the toast, "Our Best Friend," Mrs. J. J. Fennell responded to "Our Husbands," and was repeatedly interrupted with applause. "Our State" was given by Mrs. Geo. F. Tilton, and "Our Club House" by Mrs. L. C. Dempsey.

A rising toast to the 17-year-old "Miss Club," was drunk by all members standing, also another of thanks and good wishes to the president, Mrs. W. R. Brown, and Mr. Brown, who has proved an ideal host to the club and who may yet become an honorary member.

The afternoon session began promptly at 2:30 and was unique, in that all the musical and literary numbers were original compositions by El Paso people. The musical program was very pleasing and received warm applause.

The musical program was: "The Love Bird's Reverie," Mrs. Myrtle Logan Wickham, played by Mrs. Helen Roberts.

"The Rio Grande March," Miss Vivian Bray, Miss Bray.

(a) "O Give unto the Lord," (b) "In Peace I Lay Me Down to Sleep," Miss E. Garrett, sung by Miss Helen Cooper.

"Caprice," by Francis Moore, Miss Blanche Davis.

"In Sunny Mexico," by Miss Elizabeth Garrett, Miss Helen Cooper.

(a) "If You But Call," (b) "If I Were Lord in May," (c) "The Winter," (d) "Reciprocity," by Francis Moore, Miss Gertrude Ellis.

After the musical hour the following program came: "El Paso," a poem by Mrs. W. C. Davis, in which fancy and fact were interwoven; "The Story of a French Emigrant," by Miss Jeanie Ellis, a character sketch dealing with real events and whole-hearted, live human beings. The poem on "Motherhood," "The Desert Call" and "Moonlight on Mt. Franklin" were by Mrs. Wm. H. F. Judd. The poem on "The Mystery of Life," by Mrs. Guy L. Warren. "In Cherry Blossom Time," a short story, read by Mrs. S. J. Fennell and written by Miss Grace Logan. "A Trip From Manchester to Archangel," was the subject of the talk, by Rev. Mr. Hansen and was enjoyed; two short poems were contributed respectively by Miss Evelyn Logan and Mrs. Kniesland and read by Mrs. W. H. Williamson and Mrs. W. H. F. Judd.

The Daughters of the Rebecca entertained a large number of their members and friends on Wednesday evening at the Odd Fellows hall.

Progressive Banquet was the amusement provided for the occasion, in which the first prize was won by Mrs. Metta Satterlee, and the first prize for men went to Mr. Ponsford. Mrs. Carolyn Moffett received the consolation prize.

After the games Miss Josie Turner gave a vocal selection and Mr. Hastings gave several recitations. Refreshments were served by the committee in charge, Mrs. E. M. Fraser, chairman; Mrs. Charles Fraser, Mrs. Lane.

The executive board of the Woman's Charity association will meet Monday afternoon at 3:45 in the parlors of a Sheldon hotel. The regular meeting of the association will follow at 2:30.

Mrs. W. L. Gaines will entertain the "sewing circle" of the association at her home on Thursday, March 16.

The Daughters of the Confederacy held an interesting business meeting on Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock at Trinity M. E. church. At the close of the business session Mrs. Bush read a poem, "The Southern Woman," and Mrs. A. R. Barlow gave a paper on the city of Austin.

The next meeting of the chapter will be held April 26.

The Shakespeare Reading club will hold its next meeting at the home of Mrs. J. E. Spence, on Montana street.

A meeting of the Bnai Zion auxiliary was held on Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Sam Goodman, 728 Mundy. Future meetings will be held on the first and last Thursdays of the month at the Young Hebrew club rooms.

The Sunshine society met Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. D. Mayfield on Rio Grande street. Much sewing for the day nursery was accomplished, after which refreshments in the Sunshine colors were daintily served by the hostess, assisted by Miss Sheldon. Those in attendance were: Mrs. V. P. Safford, Mrs. R. F. Morris, Mrs. Guy L. Warren, Mrs. W. J. Cox, Mrs. C. A. Danly, Mrs. Stone, Mrs. A. H. Winter, William H. F. Judd, Mrs. Cowan, Mrs. E. V. Pickrell.

PICNICS.

The members of the Girls' Summer Social club and a few of their friends gave a picnic last Thursday on Mount Franklin. The young people were chaperoned by Miss Rena Shay, and those in the party were: Misses Mary Campbell, Augusta Markgroff, Mildred Marston, Eunice Preston, Sara Bridgers, Bessie Barnes, Isabel Valentine, Linda Reynolds, Alathia Dempsey, Bernita Thomas and the Misses Weeks.

POTTED HYACINTHS IN SEASON.

Potted hyacinths, the very first of the season, are now being shown by the Potter Floral company in infinite variety. These are very appropriate for table decorations and also made attractive window flowers. These are home grown flowers and are being offered by the Potter company at their usual low range of prices.



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The next meeting of the Woman's club will be that of the music department on Wednesday. The program will be in charge of Mrs. S. J. Freudenenthal and Mrs. James A. Murdock and will be:

Part 1—"Saint-Saens," variations in theme of Beethoven.
Duo, by Miss Gertrude Ellis and Francis Moore.

Duro, quartet lullaby, El Paso quartet, Mesdames Moore, Hows, Goldstein, Dunn.

Violin solo, Mrs. Roseborough.
Duet, Mrs. W. T. Owen, Mrs. Adine Owen.

Solo, Miss Sprinz.
Pinsuit, quartet, prima, Flower, El Paso quartet.

Part 2—"The Opera Pagliacci." Sketch of Leon Cavallo, Mrs. Freudenenthal.

Prologue, baritone solo.
Synopsis of Pagliacci, Mrs. James Murdock.

Soprano solo, Mrs. Howe, Mrs. Moore.

Tenor solo, Mr. Witte.

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Our Great Temptation Sale



Has been such a success that we are tempted to continue it another week, with even greater temptations in all departments. Men and women who could not take advantage of the great temptations offered last week should be tempted to come Monday for still greater temptations.

Women's Ready-to-Wear Temptingly Priced

\$27.50 Women's Silk Dresses, \$18.65
Women's Silk Dresses, fine foulards, messaline and chiffon taffeta; black, white and range of new spring colors; made in the new spring style and daintily trimmed. Values to \$27.50; Temptation Sale price **\$18.65**

\$20.00 Tailor Made Suits for \$15.35
Tailored Suits, new spring models, in all the newest shades and colorings. New spring materials, strictly man-tailored; worth to \$20.00; Temptation Sale price **\$15.35**
\$29.00 Tailored Suits; Temptation Sale price **\$22.25**

Women's Wash Dresses
Including all the new spring materials, solid colors, stripes, checks and fancy plaid effects; all made in the latest styles, neatly made and trimmed. Temptation Sale prices range from \$3.25 up to **\$8.50**

New Spring Waists
White and colors. New foulards, pongee, messaline, handsomely trimmed; some with chiffon over, also white with dainty colored trimmings in lace and embroidered effects. Prices range from \$2.49 up to **\$6.95**

Women's Separate Skirts
Materials of serge, panna, voile and other spring fabrics. Black and colors; strictly new models including the new habit effect. Pleated and trimmed. Price range from **\$3.85 up to \$13.50**

\$2.00 Children's School Dresses, \$1.49
CHILDREN'S WASH DRESSES—Sizes up to 14 years. Materials of gingham, percale and madras; solid colors, checks, stripes and plaids. Neatly trimmed—Values up to \$2.00; Temptation Sale price **\$1.49**
Values up to \$1.25; Temptation Sale price **69c**

Women's Shopping Bags
Large size, with wood or leather handles; worth 35c; tempting price **25c**

Alarm Clocks (Made in Germany)
Nickel Alarm Clocks, tested and regulated at the factory; worth \$1.00; tempting price **69c**

Embroideries—Tempting Prices
Edges, Bands and Insertions, all new spring patterns; worth 15c yard; tempting price **10c**

Bed Sheets—Temptation Prices
72x90 Bed Sheets, worth 50c; Temptation Sale price **39c**
72x90 Boston Bed Sheets, worth 69c; Temptation Sale price **50c**
81x90 Ridgewood Bed Sheets, worth 75c; Temptation Sale price **59c**
90x90 Peppercorn Bed Sheets, worth \$1.15; Temptation Sale price **98c**
90x108 Peppercorn Bed Sheets, worth **\$1.10**
\$1.25; Temptation Sale price **\$1.10**

Towels—Temptation Prices
Large size hemmed Huck Towels, linen finish; worth 12 1/2c; Temptation Sale price **9c**
Russia Bath Towels, extra large size, worth 15c; Temptation Sale price **12 1/2c**
Extra Large Size, unbleached Russia Bath Towels, worth 20c; Temptation Sale price **15c**

MUSLIN UNDERWEAR—TEMPTING STYLES AND PRICES
Gowns, Corset Covers, Combination Suits, Drawers, Chemise and Petticoats, made from fine quality materials, trimmed with dainty laces and embroideries.
Values to \$1.75; tempting price **98c**
Values to \$2.25; tempting price **\$1.49**
Values to \$3.25; tempting price **\$1.98**

Temptation Silk Sale

SECO AND JAPONICA SILKS—Plain and dotted; wide range of new spring shades; values to 35c; Temptation Sale price **23c**

TAFFETA SILKS—For Waists and Dresses, checks, stripes, plaids and fancy figured effects; light and dark colorings; worth 75c yard; Temptation Sale price **39c**

FOULARD SILKS, in more than fifty new and pretty spring styles; values to 75c; Temptation Sale price **49c**

Wool Dress Goods, Temptation Prices
36-inch wool Henriettas, colors of cardinal, gray, navy, light blue, and black. 35c values; Temptation Sale price **25c**

36-INCH DIAGONALS, SERGES AND ANAMAS—Black and full range of colors, and black and white shepherd checks; worth 69c; Temptation Sale price **49c**

36-INCH IMPERIAL WOOL SERGE, white and cream, for coat suits and separate skirts; worth 69c; Temptation Sale price **50c**

WHITE ENGLISH MADRAS, figured and highly nerverized, for waists and men's shirts; worth 25c; Temptation Sale price **18c**

90-inch all pure linen Sheeting, already shrunk; genuine Irish manufacture, for skirts and dresses; \$1.25 value; Temptation Sale price **89c**

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RED SEAL DRESS GINGHAMS, in plaids, stripes and fancy checks, sold everywhere at 15c; Temptation Sale price **11c**

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Plain and self striped; big range of pretty colors; worth 25c; Temptation Sale price **15c**

Fancy Welt Piques
White ground, in fancy stripes and figures, for waists and children's dresses; worth 20c; Temptation Sale price **12 1/2c**

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FEATHER BED PILLOWS, 50c worth 75c; tempting price **50c**

WOMEN'S GINGHAM APRONS, with bob; worth 50c; tempting price **35c**

and entertaining by Mrs. W. R. Bull. Those enjoying the affair were: Misses Estelle Barrien, Hilda Sauer, Emily Kemp, Pauline Bryan, Mary Nations, Rosal Behr, Irene Laughlin, Lucille Duffey, Pansy Biggs, Hattie Ellis, Sarah Cobb, Beula Brown, Davis Wilson, Birdie Hawkins, Elizabeth Stevens, Amoret Cobb, Gilda Meyers, Regina Schuster, Marie Rich, Eleanor Eubank, Frances Jenkins, Robt. Elliott, Helen O'Shea, Nellie Hanniman, Ruth Atherton, Grace Flock, Virginia Stewart, Grace Wingo, Margaret Caples, Mary Robertson, Shirley Eaton, Olive Courchesne, Matilda Baldwin, Emily Ormsbee, Meta Ormsbee, Margaret Richardson, Jeannette Richardson, Mary Wolcott, Lena Walker, Sarah Jarrett, Rose Adams, Mary Courchesne, Maggie Davis, Jennie Mae Davis.

Messrs. H. E. VanSurdum, Randall Kilburn, Nelson Rice, Robert Ward, Alex Wallace, Dan Kenan, Robert Hoover, Sam Hawkins, Morris Cushman, E. A. Smith, Everett Long, Cuthbert Baldwin, Jesse Payne, Freckleton, Frank Snyder, Ernest Myles, Monroe Proctor, James Davis, Walter Bateman, Louis Whitman, Adkins Bowden, Clifton Elliott, Ralph Homan, James Hardie, Walter Jenkins, Willie Reid, Fred Howe, Dick McElhatton, John Sorenson, Ball Hilburn, Ignatius Berrien, Presley Bridle, Paul Lane, Norman Morrison, Willard White, Tom Courchesne, D. C. Jones, Baylort Foster, Wendell Kuhn, Buel Hammett, Guy Hammett.

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Yesterday I had a glimpse of several character selvedges. I met on a crowded car on the homeward way a successful young business woman. I know that in her small domain she is brilliantly efficient and that moreover, all her acts in that little world are tinged with human kindness. But in the jostling mass, and the fetid air that the second largest city in the world offers with the result of its working citizens, the selvedge of the business woman's character revealed itself.

The end of a hard day's work was in the face that had that morning been bright. She was tired. She was a bit overborn by the warfare of the day. She was irritated by the wretched accommodations afforded to the homegoers, and she would have liked to efface from this earth the huge man who had walked across her aching feet. The light had all gone out of the face that was that morning bright. The smile with which she usually faced the world had retreated behind a frown. She looked many shades plainer and many years older.

I saw a meeting between two girl friends, saw the indifferent greeting of one and the sensitive flush and the surprised look in the eyes of the other, and I recalled what the late E. De Witt Talmage told his children when he complained that a friend had seemed less cordial than usual when they met him on Broadway and noon.

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